



Response Under 37 CFR 1.116 #43
Expedited Procedure
Examining Group 1632 *CPH*
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THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Examiner : Karen M. Hauda
Group : 1632
Applicants : R. Kucherlapati et al.
Serial No. : 08/031,801
Filed : March 15, 1993
For : GENERATION OF XENOGENEIC ANTIBODIES

New York, New York
March 12, 1999

Hon. Assistant Commissioner
for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)
FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time to respond to the Examiner's Action dated October 14, 1998. With the extension, a response is due on or before April 14, 1999. A check in the amount of \$435.00, in payment of the fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3), is enclosed herewith.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due, or to credit overpayment of

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same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate of this
Petition is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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